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NAVY TO REPLACE THE SHENANDOAH

EXECUTIVE BELIEVES DIRIGIBLE TOO VALUABLE TO ABANDON

COOLIDGE TO SANCTION BUILDING NEW AIRSHIP

The Dirigible Is Considered as Too Valuable a Part of the National Defense to Be Entirely Abandoned —To Profit by Past Experience.

Swampscott, Mass.—Undismayed by the destruction of the giant navy airship, President Coolidge has shown his faith in lighter-than-air aviation by making it clear that he will urge Congress to build another airship to assist the navy in its battle to conquer the air.

While greatly distressed by the loss of life, which he considers appalling, President Coolidge regards the airship, although still in the experimental stage, as too valuable a part of the national defense to be abandoned simply because one is destroyed.

The Shenandoah cost $2,000,000 to build and as the president is in favor of building a better airship than has ever been built before and weaving into its construction all the lessons learned in part experimentation, it is expected the new ship will cost fully as much. At any rate the president's attitude is that he will sanction inclusion in the next budget of funds sufficient for the construction of a new dirigible.

The lesson from this catastrophe is that the government must accept its loss and try again. To the president the big loss is not the loss of the ship. It is the loss of life.

The president is too determined to test out the lighter than air means of transportation, both for national defense and for commercial use, it was said, for him to allow an accident to stop vital experimental operations.

Outbreak in Nicaragua

Managua, Nicaragua.—Several prominent Nicaraguan liberals were prisoners by armed men who raided a reception at Managua, the capital. The raiders, said to represent the conservative republican party, were believed to have staged the affair as a demonstration against the inclusion of liberal party members in the new cabinet of President Solorzano.

It is reported that the liberal members of the cabinet may resign on account of the imprisonment of their colleagues. Railroad, telegraphic and telephonic communications have been restored and the situation is quiet, but there is general uneasiness as to the future.

Civil War Actress Dies at Age of 87

New York.—Mrs. Kate Meek, an actress, who began her career during the Civil war, and who later was associated with many famous players, died recently. She was born in New York in 1838. After the war, Mrs. Meek joined the stock company at Ford's theater in Baltimore, where she played with Edwin Forrest, Charlotte Cushman, J. W. Wallack, Edwin Booth, Joseph Jefferson and others. For nineteen years she was under contract with Charles Frohman.

Name Debt Mission

Paris.—The French cabinet named the debt commission which is to go to Washington under the leadership of Finance Minister Caillaux. The commission will consist of four senators, four deputies and two bankers. They are: Senators Berenger, Chapsal, Dausset and Dupuy; Deputies Auriol, Lamoureux, Bokanowski and De Chambrun; the banker, Maurice Simon, controller of the French treasury, and the finance ministry expert, Andre Moreau-Neret.

Wilson Memorial Proposed

Geneva.—A million dollar fund to establish in Geneva some kind of memorial to Woodrow Wilson is being discussed among the increasingly large group of Americans arriving here for the League of Nations assembly. This movement has been given impetus by the news that Mrs. Woodrow Wilson will attend the league assembly. She will be given a seat in the diplomatic gallery.

T. & P. R. R. Seeks Equipment

Washington.—The interstate commerce commission has authorized the Texas and Pacific railroad to issue $2,455,000 of 4½ per cent equipment trust certificates to buy twenty locomotives and 750 freight cars.

Pact Ratified

Melbourne.—The commercial trade agreement between Canada and Australia was ratified by the Australian senate. The house had indorsed it previously.

U. S. AIR FORCE IS DECLARED WEAK

EXPERIMENTAL EXPERT INVESTIGATES CONDITIONS.

BASES MUST BE BUILT, SAYS W. B. SHEARER

U. S. Air Service Stands 16 Per Cent in Size and Effectiveness as Compared with France, Japan and Great Britain.

Los Angeles.—W. B. Shearer, experimental expert for the American navy during the World war, who has been investigating naval conditions on the Pacific at the request of Senator William H. King of Utah, made public a report on aviation affairs which he has forwarded to Senator King and which reveals the United States air service standing 16 per cent in size and effectiveness as compared with France and Japan, 100 per cent, and Great Britain, 58 per cent.

The report, which also deals with the American army air strength in conjunction with the navy, submits the following estimates as necessary increases to a standard comparable to the air strength of foreign powers:

Officers, 4,000; men, 30,000; machines, 4,000.

The Shearer report, referring to Colonel William Mitchell's attack on the army and navy air service, says:

"Colonel Mitchell brings out a vital point in his charges, namely, that an air attack on this country would come via Alaska, where only forty-six miles of water seperate us from Asia.

"Many will support Colonel Mitchell if he will confine his attack to where it belongs, to the political heads. He knows that both services, the army and the navy, are forced to play politics.

"Congress knows the facts. The direct fault and remedy lies with the people, who are not interested in the army, the navy or national defense. The popular slogan of 'reduce taxes' has killed all sense of proportion."

Summarizing the situation on the Pacific, the report says:

"The fleet must be fully maintained, naval bases must be built and above all, our air defense must be developed."

12 BODIES FOUND, 4 DEAD MISSING IN WASHINGTON STORM

Wenatchee, Wash.—Twelve bodies had been recovered and four known dead still were missing as a result of a cloudburst in the Squillichuck mountains which sent a flood over South Wenatchee.

That other deaths may have resulted was indicated when parts of half a dozen automobiles that had been parked in the tourist camp at Appleyard, south of Wenatchee, were found scattered in the debris.

Other results of the flood, aside from the loss of life, included property damage estimated at half a million dollars; railroad tracks washed out at the Great Northern terminal and traffic tied up; the town of Appleyard, where the terminal is situated, practically wiped out; hundreds of carloads of apples destroyed in the orchards of the Wenatchee valley by the hailstorm that accompanied the cloudburst, and several miles of the Wenatchee reclamation district canal choked with mud or washed out.

Shenandoah Victim's Father Protests

Venice, Ill.—Howard W. Spratley, father of William Howard Spratley, 26, mechanic killed when the Shenandoah was wrecked over Ohio, has telegraphed a complaint to Secretary of the Navy Wilbur, protesting against the condition in which the body of his son was received and the lack of any escort. Spratley said the body was sent with express charges collect and reposed on excelsior in a casket which resembled a wooden box, was only partly clothed and imperfectly embalmed.

Attempts Suicide Third Time

Santa Barbara.—Mrs. Ellen Pico is held at a local hospital under observation after taking poison. This is her third attempt, two other efforts to end her life having been made in Los Angeles during the last eighteen months. Mrs. Pico is the widow of A. Pico, member of one of California's noted early day families. Pico was shot to death by Richard Paaske, who had become infatuated with Mrs. Pico. Paaske is now serving a life sentence in San Quentin.

Refuses to Quit Post

Washington.—Commissioner Bert E. Haney of the shipping board continues to stand pat on his refusal to resign as requested by President Coolidge. An airing of the shipping board row in congress this winter appears a certainty.

Golden State
News of Interest to All

Myer Ehrman, one of San Francisco's best known pioneer merchants, died at his home. He was 83 years of age.

Robert Nunn, 20-year-old Oxnard banker, for the third consecutive year holds the championship of California in the fifth annual horseshoe pitching tournament.

Work will start immediately on the new grammar school building at Susanville, Lassen county, to be known as the Roosevelt school. Excavation has been completed.

Sausalito has recently passed a $95,000 bond issue for the erection of a new 8-room grammar school, with auditorium, at the site of the present school on Caledonia street.

Preparing for opening of the new high school year at Visalia, Athletic Instructor George L. Righter has just completed installation of $1,000 worth of new gymnasium equipment.

At a special election held in Cloverdale the citizens voted $37,000 municipal bonds to be issued, as a result of which the Redwood highway will be paved directly through the city.

Deputy County Flood Control Engineer W. D. Richardson has established headquarters here in the Neville building and stated that the dam project will be pushed vigorously.

What is declared to be one of the largest mountain lions ever killed in the Pineridge, Fresno county section, was shot Newton Cliff, forest guard. The lion measured almost nine feet.

The resignation of Major Seth Millington, jr., of Colusa, attorney and former state commander of the American Legion, from the national guard was accepted by Adjutant General R. E. Mittelstaedt.

The Orosi system will be constructed at a cost of $17,116.90 and about 13,000 feet of pipe will be laid. Cost of the Cutler system will be about $22,789.40 and about 17,000 feet of pipe will be used.

What oil men believe is the deepest well ever drilled is down 7,430 feet after 183 actual days of drilling. It is the Athens No. 6, owned by the Miley Oil Company in the Rosecrans field, near Los Angeles.

The 9-story building which the Bank of Italy will erect in Stockton at the corner of Main and Hunter streets will cost $1,000,000, says an announcement from the head offices of the banking institution at San Francisco.

E. O. Gaylord of San Francisco bid in 475.72 acres of rich oil bearing government land in the Coalinga east-side fields, paying a total of $175,000, or the highest price on record at the Visalia land office in many years.

Appointment of Father Edward J. Whelan, S. J., as president of St. Ignatius college, San Francisco's oldest Catholic institution of higher learning, to succeed Father Pius L. Moore, S. J., has been announced.

The county supervisors of Ventura county expect to spend about $250,000 for road work in the vicinity of Moorpark. The work will include the relocating and paving of four miles of the Grimes canyon road between Moonpark and Fillmore.

The Sacramento city council has authorized the city manager to sell $735,000 in municipal improvement bonds. The bonds will be sold to obtain money with which to make payment on improvements included in the bond issue voted in 1923.

Raymond C. Brooks, formerly of Berkeley, and now head of the Pomona college department of religion, has been chosen leader of the eighth annual pastors' conference at Hartford Theological seminary, Hartford, Conn., September 14 and 15.

The famous Samuel W. Heller flower prize will be awarded this year to the best dahlia exhibited at the annual dahlia show at the Palace Hotel, San Francisco September 10, 11 and 12, according to an announcement made by the regents of the University of California.

Several hundred members of the California Boys' Club have returned from their annual summer camp in the mountains. Fifty of them, including a band and amateur vaudeville troupe, conducted a self-paying tour that included points as widely separated as Trinidad, Yosemite Valley, Lake Tahoe and Nevada.

Work on the wells for Cutler and Orosi, Tulare, county, water systems is being rushed. The well for the municipal water system at Cutler has been drilled in Cutler park, and the tank, rock and cement are on the ground for completing the work. This well is eighty feet deep and has been tested, throwing a large stream of water.

BROKERS' MARGIN THOT TOO GREAT

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Rice and David Sanders were elected as members of the Grange Tuesday evening and eight new members were obligated in the first and second degrees. A large class is expected to take the third and fourth degrees on the 22nd of this month.

Under legislation Mr. J. Knack was vigorously opposed allowing other nations to ignore their debts to the United States. He thought we should be fully paid both principle and interest, which would be only just.

Mr. Keesling reported dried apricots retailing in California at 25 cents per pound while the grower only got 14 cents for the same cots and tomatoes retailing at 8 and 10 cents per pound for which the grower received $15.00 per ton or ¾ of a cent per pound. Other instances of similar nature were mentioned and he thought there was great injustice to both grower and consumer.

After closing up Grange business the members retired to the banquet room where the lecturer and assistants put on a very interesting program of pioneering in various parts of the country.

Mrs. E. K. Clendening told of pioneer life in Canada. Mrs. Emma Dalvit gave a serio-comic description of their early experiences as fruit growers in Campbell. Mrs. Annie Hedegard told of early farm life at Lincoln, Neb. Mrs. Jessie Shelley read a very instructive paper on the great grasshopper scourge in the middle west during 1874 and following years. J. Knack closed with a vivid description of farm life in Russia before the war. Music and singing were followed by lemonade and cakes and a general social time.

The Orchard City drill team is to put on the third and fourth degree work at Dumbarton Grange on Tuesday evening, September 15.

An effort is being made to have 1200 to 1500 California Grangers take the seventh degree at the National Grange to be held at Sacramento in October. State master Harrison reported splendid success along this line at a recent meeting of Pomona Grange at Mountain View.

DATE OF MINNESOTA PICNIC IS CHANGED

A Minnesota picnic that was to have been held at Santa Cruz on Saturday, October 10, has been postponed to Sunday, October 11. Arrangements will be made for a tour of all Minnesotans back to Minnesota in the spring. It is planned to take a service car and have the entire trip scheduled as near as possible.

Mrs. Fred McCargar, the secretary of the Minnesota club, has received letters from hundreds of former Minnesotans desiring to go on the trip. Mrs. Jeanett Thompson of Oakland writes that she is the fifth white girl child born in Minnesota and although past 70 years of age, would like to join the caravan and would like to ride with somebody, paying her share of the expenses.

Urge Volstead Modification

Chicago.—The Fifth Division Association of A. E. F. Veterans, in the final session of their annual reunion approved a resolution urging modification of the Volstead act without specifying any particular change.

Calistoga Resort Burned

Calistoga.—Redwood Lodge a popular summer resort here, was burned to the ground, causing a loss estimated at $25,000. The cause of the fire was unknown. The lodge was insured for half its value.

New Dry Chief Busy

Fort Worth.—Maj. Herbert White, new prohibition administrator for Texas and Oklahoma, intends to enlarge his office staff considerably and to augment proportionately the existing force of prohibition agents in his district, he indicated.

Heads War Veterans

Tulsa, Okla.—Fred Stover of Butler, Pa., has been elected national commander of the Veterans of Foreign Wars at their national convention here.

CAMPBELL SCHOOLS TO OPEN SEPT 21

Buildings and Equipment in Readiness

Campbell Union Grammar School will begin the year's work on September 21 with a corps of eighteen teachers, five of them new this year, nurse and District Superintendent I R. Abbott.

History and Civics—Mary Fablinger.

Geography and Music—Marie Mace.

English and Reading—Ora Jasper.

Arithmetic—Helen Nielson.

In charge of the other grades are:

High 6—Hancie Naylor.
Low 6—Dorothy Merriman.
High 5—Maude Sourisseau.
Low 5—Gertrude McCracken.
High 4—Bernice Saveker.
Low 4—Mabel Davidson.
High 3—Marion B. Plumm.
Low 3—Ruth Bradley.
High 2—Mabel Keesling.
Low 2—Mildred Dunlap.
High 1—Emma Wilson.
Low 1—Vertie D. Hostetter.
Kindergarten—Ruth Henderson.

Home making—Rowena Farman.

Nurse—Olga Weiss.

Antone Ferro will again be in charge of the building and garden.

With such a large and efficient body of teachers and a building so well equipped, everything points to a very successful year.

Campbell Union High School will open Monday, Sept. 21, with all of last year's teachers returned.

Two teachers have been added this year. W. E. Whitney will teach Farm Mechanics, while Miss Ruby Howes will teach History and Physical Education.

Following is a complete list of teachers and the subjects taught:

D. H. Cramer, principal, Advanced Mathematics.

C. E. York, vice principal, Agriculture.

Miss Claribel Boesch, Chemistery, English, Geometry.

T. A. Cutting, Geometry, General Science, History.

Miss Verna Darrow, English, Latin.

Mrs. Anna Dart, Commercial.

Miss Lois Gardner, Home Economics.

Josef Halamicek, Band, Orchestra, Singing.

Miss Ruby Howes, History, Physical Education.

Mrs. Harriet Hummel, English, History.

Miss Marian Jenkins, Latin, English.

Miss Kittie M. Johnson, Drawing, Art, English.

R. E. Noddin, Physics, General Science, Physical Education.

Miss Violet Otterman, Spanish, History, French.

A. H. Wegel, Algebra, General Science.

W. E. Whitney, Farm Mechanics.

Mrs. Olga Weiss, school nurse.

Students will register on Friday and Saturday, September 18 and 19 from 9 a. m. to 3 p. m.

The main building has been quite thoroughly renovated and the seating capacity of the assembly room increased.

Under the direction of Mr. Whitney, the new farm mechanics instructor, the manual training building has been materially improved.

Four main subjects will be taken up in this department, wood working, blacksmithing and acetyline welding, auto mechanics and general machine repairing. Several new machines have been installed for this work.

FARM CLASS SEES STATE FAIR

C. E. York and Wilbur Whitney, of the Agricultural Department of the High School, accompanied by Leo Hedegard, Merle Gardner, Ray Steindorf, Marvin Stile, Ernest Furtado, Arthur Mirassou, Robert Newton, and Bert Shepherd are attending the Sacramento fair this week.

The State Agricultural Department grants them free admission and they are camped in a section provided for that class of students. This gives the boys a fine opportunity to see prize live stock and its judging and all kinds of farm machinery.

This camp was laid out on a semi-military plan but provision was not planned for such a large attendance so the Campbell boys camped in the dining hall for a short time. Squads of 50 with a captain for each were organized. Time was arranged for dairy, fruit and live stock judging contests in which our boys entered. Addresses were made by several prominent state men so that the visit was very profitable to the boys. Plans are now on foot to accommodate about 600 next year.

OFF FOR COLLEGE

Rev. F. C. Farr took his son Willard and nephew, Joyce, to Stockton, Monday. They were accompanied by Mrs. C. E. Hanger and Miss Olive, and the three young people have entered the College of Pacific now located at that place. Mr. Farr and Mrs. Hanger remained to attend the state conference of the Methodist churches in session this week. Mr. and Mrs. Ira Bogart, also members of the Campbell church, are also in attendance.

S. C. JOURNAL SOLD

Postmaster Bernice Downing has sold the Santa Clara Journal to Mr. and Mrs. W. M. O'Donnell. Both have had considerable experience in the newspaper field. Miss Downing with her late sister for many years have carried on with their paper and have done their bit to make Santa Clara a prosperous town.

Altho out of the work, Miss Downing will always hold a warm spot in her heart for the state press.

ROGERS-SMITH

Surprises never come singly and we announce this with pleasure. On August 4th, at Jackson, Calif., occurred the marriage of Miss Lucile Rogers and Mark Smith. They spent their honeymoon at the Lake Tahoe and Silver Lake region.

On their return home Mrs. Smith went to San Juan to take up her school duties and Mark resumed his work.

Both are popular young people of Campbell, having graduated from our high school and Mrs. Smith from Teachers' College of San Jose, she having lived here with her aunt, Miss Mattie Curran. They have a wide circle of warm friends who wish them every joy and happiness.

It is hoped that on the completion of Mrs. Smith's school term they may decide to live in our midst.

PRESS DAY AT FAIR

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Smith and daughter, Wilma, went to Sacramento Friday to participate in "Press Day" at the Fair, which was on Saturday.

Luncheon was served in one of the assembly rooms of the Administration Building, after which the members of the association attended the races in a body.

From 4 to 6 o'clock Governor and Mrs. Richardson held an informal reception at the Governor's Mansion for the members of the Press Association of which Mr. Richardson has been president for many years.

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Over $500 in musical scholarships and merchandise is to be offered to the talented young people of the community within a few days by the music houses of San Jose cooperating with The Institute of Music. These prizes will be awarded to the best performers in open competition, and anyone may compete for them who can play or sing.

No charge of any kind is made for entering the competition. Each student desiring to compete may secure blanks at the music stores or at the offices of The Institute at 97 South Sixth Street, and give on them the required data. The date for competition has been set for September 19.

The awards are greatly worth while. The first prize in the violin department is a $125 violin outfit, and in other departments the awards are in keeping. In each department scholarships good for an entire semester at The Institute are offered. The detailed list of the awards will be made within a few days.

Students who have studied but a short time will be on an equal basis with those who have had greater experience, as the length of previous study will be considered by the judges. Further information regarding this matter may be had at the music stores or at the office of the Institute.

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You can always tell a woman's car; the rear fenders are battered.

WHY FRANCE SHOULD NOT EXPECT

France's debt to the United States, in round figures totalling $4,000,000,000, represents one of the most formidable financial problems of post-war history. What France expects in the way of concessions, and what will actually happen in the negotiations, may bring about a result entirely without the scope of past and present predictions.

The French representatives, no doubt with some measure of consistency, will use the recent Belgian settlement as a precedent. But there is not sufficient similarity in the two claims to warrant parallel treatment. Admitting that both debtor nations have moral rebuttals calculated to minimize the financial significance of the debts, it must be remembered that France is one of the great powers of the world. Belgium acted as a shock absorber to the entire allied world during the war. France took her place nobly, but can not expect any creditor nation to concede the liberality that Belgium was accorded. The neutrality of Belgium was violated, her very vitality stricken down, while France was afforded money and means to fight her enemy Germany, America and the other powers helped her do it.

Financial concessions can never repay any nation's losses in human sacrifices, and any attempt to take into consideration more than the justness of the debt and the ability to pay produces a reaction unsound in international relations. Moral claims can and by all means should be paid in moral service. Whatever moral obligations exist between the United States and France can best be adjusted thru the channels of international brotherhood and co-operation in the arts of peace. This, if done, will give a stability and independence to the French people worth far more to them than a few million dollars saved by a smooth concoction of diplomacy and emotion. Dollars can not pay for heartaches nor add moral stamina to the people of the nation involved, nor would France be placed in any better position among the powers of the world. No free receipt can add dignity to her living, nor solemnity to the epitaphs of her heroic dead. Let France pay as she can, but pay all.

KNOWLEDGE IS PROFITS

A farmer and member of the state legislature tells this one. He was invited to deliver an address before a meeting of merchants on the subject of "trade at home." The meeting was held in a town only a few miles from the speaker's home and where he had lived for seven years. In the course of his remarks he asked for raised hands of the merchants who could drive to his home. Only two merchants out of the 67 present were able to say that they could find their way to the speaker's home.

The result was that the prepared speech was not delivered, but the address turned approximately on the point of whether or not the merchant himself was putting forth his best efforts towards becoming acquainted with his territory and with his prospective buyers. This man, who had operated a farm for seven years within a few miles of the town, and who had gained sufficient prominence to become a member of the state legislature, evidently felt that these merchants who had been bidding so strongely for home trade should have taken the trouble to find out his place of residence.

Acquaintance with territory and with people actually increases sales and profits and will cause a better understanding of community problems.

THE STABLE WORLD

Man is a strong being. There is not so much wrong with him after all. In this strenuous age he can stand many things and come up smiling. He can jump from one thought to another, from passing fancies to solemn realities, from the subjects of China to flappers, flivvers to fools, education to crime, bread and butter to taxes and still maintain his nervous system and keep a high degree of sanity. Those who think the world is going to the dogs will have to take into consideration what the modern person must withstand and then give credit for the degree of moral stability that is possessed.

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France is now sending over her representatives probably to ask the U. S. to change the debt funding commission into a refunding commission.

They invented breakfast food so you'd be good and hungry by dinner time.

When the bootleggers get enough to retire on maybe we can have 100 per cent Prohibition.

"Funding war debts" amounts to the proposition that the greatgrandchildren of the boys in the world war may get back some of the money that their great-great-grandfathers loaned to Europe.

New Ideas About Canned Tomatoes

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Carl B. Field and family enjoyed Admission Day in the Big Basin.

Mr. and Mrs. F. O. Bohnett inspected the State Fair Saturday on their way home from Reno.

Mrs. T. H. Corning came down from Oakland Wednesday for a few days stay at her ranch home.

Miss Margaret Blaine left this morning for Paso Robles to begin her school duties there Monday.

A. W. Ulf moved his family to San Jose Wednesday taking up his residence on South Fifteenth street.

Miss Alice McCaughey went to Corona yesterday, and will teach athletics and English to the youth.

Regular session of the Chamber of Commerce will be held at the library Monday evening. Plan to attend.

The Horace Lea and E. E. Lanphear families spent Wednesday in Carmel, enjoying a whiff of ocean air.

Mrs. O. A. Putnam and Mrs. R. W. Saunders celebrated the Diamond Jubilee with the throng at San Francisco Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robson and sons drove to Lancaster Sunday accompanying Miss Joyce who was returning to her school duties.

The Walter Stanford family are here from Riverbank and may spend the winter here, if Mr. Stanford can get suitable work.

E. A. Barker family will do the Jubilee celebration at San Francisco tomorrow, Cloyd having recovered enough to take the ride.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Mendel and son returned from their outing at Capitola Saturday remaining over the Labor day holiday with their families here.

Miss Mary Fablinger spent the week-end with the Chas. E. Burke family at Turlock. She took little Bessie Burke home to begin school this week.

Mrs. Wm. Shepard, of Dallas, Texas, and Mrs. Geo. Mattley, of Hayward, were in Campbell several days this week visiting their brother, S. G. Rodeck and family.

Mrs. Spaulding and children who have been visiting Mrs. Spaulding's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Kennedy, left Saturday for their home at Los Angeles.

Misses Elva Hoerler and Laura Blaine will leave this evening for Oakdale to join the public school faculty. They will take the night boat to Stockton and motor across Saturday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Larsen and children of Westwood, arrived last week for a visit with Mrs. Larsen's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Coupland. They started on their return on Tuesday.

Eugene Grattan, who has spent some time in Campbell has returned to Iowa. Another brother, Henry, who arrived recently from Nicaraugua, is at the home of his brother, Worthin, suffering from an attack of malaria fever.

The Misses Ruth Miller, Maud Marston, Wilma Smith and Marv Devitt, were in San Francisco from Tuesday to Thursday with relatives of Miss Devitt. One of the objects of interest was the parade on Wednesday in which Miss Lillian Gard participated as "Miss Campbell" on the County Consolidated float.

I. R. Abbott and family returned from their vacation trip Monday. While Mrs. Abbott and children enjoyed the beauties of Grants Park, Mr. Abbott and several men packed back about 40 miles where the fishing and hunting was exceptionally good. They saw plenty of deer but failed to locate the right ones. Ira tells a good fish story, tho.

S. F. GRAVES LAID TO REST

The many friends of S. Frank Graves were grieved to hear that he had passed away last Thursday morning as the result of another heart attack.

The funeral services were held from the Methodist Episcopal church at Campbell Saturday afternoon, the Rev. F. C. Farr, pastor, officiating. Interment was at Los Gatos cemetery. Music was furnished by Misses Florence Cramer and Olive Hanger and D. H. Cramer. The pallbearers were Messrs. R. Parkhill, S. G. Rodeck, C. E. Hanger, C. C. York, Ira Bogart and E. B. Baugh.

Frank Graves was almost sixty years old at the time of his death and is survived by the breaved wife, sons Roy, Haven, Cecil and Forest, and daughter, Mrs. Verda Greenwood, and a sister, Mrs. C. A. English.

He has been for years one of the most faithful attendants and workers of the Methodist church Sunday School superintendent and choir member. The quantities of beautiful flowers were silent witnesses to the high esteem in which this good man was held in his community.

Rain or shine he was ever on time at his post when others failed or delayed.

He was a most loyal basso in the Campbell Glee Club and his sincere friends of this circle will miss him for years to come. He was a man of sterling character and his daily associates learned to love him for himself. The community has sustained a great loss.

The sincere sympathy of a host of friends is extended the bereaved family in their hour of sadness.

STATE CONVENTION OAKLAND OCT. 19-23

The W. C. T. U. met with Mrs. Newcomb, Wednesday, September 2. The president, Mrs. Hubbell, has returned from Patterson, where she visited for several weeks.

The State W. C. T. U. convention will be held in Oakland, October 19-23. Mrs. Hubbell and Mrs. Byrnes were elected delegates, Mrs. Kennedy and Mrs. Farley being the alternates.

The Union having paid its budget in full is entitled to a life membership in the state organization, and Mrs. Ella G. Kennedy was named for this honor.

If the members will report whatever work they have done to the superintendent of department promptly it will aid them very much in sending in their reports to the state officers. These reports must be sent in before September 30.

The next meeting will be held September 23, with Mrs. Farr, when it is expected to have Mrs. Cora Baker, state and county superintendent of Child Welfare, give an address upon the work of this department.

The hostess served fruit during the social half-hour following the business session.

Mrs. Storni, of San Luis Obispo, is visiting her sister, Mrs. L. Genasci.

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There's a certain satisfaction,
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And a wondrous field of action,
Playing Whist;
When we have our best plans laid
And count at last the score we made,
Oft we see our chances fade,
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There's a settling down together,
Playing Whist;
Like sunshine following tempest weather,
Playing Whist;
Then the best that in us lies,
Throws aside it's thin disguise,
Good like oil is bound to rise,
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There's a little bit of chiding,
Playing Whist;
With a thought or two confiding,
Playing Whist;
Isn't the score we did not get,
And the Prize that spurned our net,
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FREE AND RICHEY VISIT PENINSULA

MONTEREY—Congressman Arthur M. Free, accompanied by Lawrence Richey, private secretary to Herbert Hoover, and their families, were visitors in Monterey. Congressman Free was received at his headquarters at the Underwood apartments by a committee of citizens under the leadership of R. M. Dorton and City Attorney Argyll Campbell.

The two visitors were escorted to the Chamber of Commerce rooms where Mr. Free conferred with city officials and other business men relative to the proposed breakwater for Monterey. The bond issue for the new wharf was also discussed. Mr. Free was an attentive listener to the arguments as set forth by the different interests, but made no promises, informing them that e would take the matter up on his return to Washington.

The party left late Friday evening, Mr. and Mrs. Richey leaving for Washington, via Los Angeles where he will stop one day, the Frees continuing to Soledad to visit Dr. Starbird, formerly of San Jose, brother of Detective Ray Starbird. They returned to San Jose Saturday.

The seventh annual San Diego county fair will be held September 30 to October 3 and will contain the largest farm bureau display in the history of the county, according to Assistant County Farm Adviser G. K. Wildermuth. It will be held at Balboa Park. Agricultural, horticultural, live stock and commercial displays are promised on a larger scale than ever before. Farm Adviser Felix L[illegible] will manage the fair, assisted by a committee composed of directors from the various county farm bureaus. Day and night horse shows, a rodeo and other features will furnish amusement attractions. Last year the attendance was nearly 40,000. It is expected that this year this attendance record will be passed.

Oil field operations reported to State Oil and Gas Supervisor R. D. Bush during the week ending August 29, 1925, show thirty new wells started. Of the thirty notices to drill filed this week, four were for wells in the Long Beach field, three in the Torrance field, one in the Inglewood field, two in the Newport field, two in the Rosecrans field, one in the Richfield field, one in the Whittier field, one in Los Angeles county, two in the Conejo field, one in the Simi field, two in the Cat Canyon field and ten in the fields of Kern county. The total new wells this year is 951, as compared with 1,008 at the same date last year.

A $20,000,000 fund to continue the state highway construction program is to be sought through an appeal to the voters of the state. Decision to carry an initiative measure to the people for action at the next general election has been reached at a recent caucus of representatives of interior counties held in Sacramento. The meeting, presided over by Assemblyman Robert B. McPherson of Vallejo, made plans to organize support for the measure in every part of the state where highway building has been held up through lack of money caused by the governor's veto of the increased gas tax last spring.

The state capitol is being repainted for the first time in eight years. Workmen have built scaffolding around the gilded ball above the dome, 237 feet above the ground, and will work down. The entire exterior is included in the painting job, for which the legislature provided $15,000. The division of architecture of the state department of public works is supervising the work on a day labor basis.

Under the provisions of the Smith-Hughes act federal and state funds are provided for the training of the home economics teachers. The Chico State Teachers' college is one of the training centers in California.

Fire of undetermined origin destroyed the C. H. Pill furniture manufacturing plant at Los Angeles. The loss is estimated at approximately $50,000.

The U. S. S. Aroostook, a mine layer, has been ordered to proceed to San Francisco to attend the Diamond Jubilee celebration.

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EASING THE BURDEN OF STATE TAXATION

Banker Points Out Benefits of Community Property System in Some States.

Favorable aspects of tax systems are now among the most highly prized assets of our states, it is pointed out in the American Bankers Association Journal in connection with an article on how California, which has never had a state income tax, cuts state and Federal death taxes nearly in half by the "community property" system. L. H. Roseberry, Vice President Security Trust and Savings Bank, Los Angeles, author of the article, says that a recent amendment to the tax law enables future residents of the state to take advantage of it. Reference is made to a former article by Assistant Secretary of the Treasury Dewey, voicing the need for death tax reform and citing a hypothetical case involving California inheritance taxes which might have been levied in 1920. Since that time the laws have been changed, Mr. Roseberry declares, so that the figures then given do not correctly represent the present situation. He says:

"Ever since its admission California has had the 'community property' system. Eight other state have a similar system. 'Community property' is property accumulated by married persons during their marriage, except that which is acquired by gift, bequest or inheritance. Approximately 65 per cent of all property in the state is 'community property.' Such property in California enjoys the most favorable position in regard to death taxes, both state and Federal, of any state in the Union (excepting possibly the eight other states having a similar property system) including states boasting of no inheritance tax whatever. The California 'community property' system is recognized for the purpose of levying Federal estate taxes, and only one-half of it is now so taxed, while in Florida the whole estate of a decedent is subject to the Federal levy.

How the Law Works

"California's law expressly provides that upon the death of either husband or wife, testate, only one-half of their net 'community property' shall be subject to inheritance taxes. The same exemption applies upon the death of the husband, intestate, while the whole net 'community property' is totally exempt from all state inheritance taxation upon the death of the wife intestate. The Federal estate tax law now follows precisely the California law in this respect.

"As the result of an amendment made to the California inheritance tax law by the 1925 Legislature, this immunity from state inheritance taxes likewise now extends to 'community property' of non-resident married persons, who hereafter take up their legal residence in the state. This puts 'community property' in a more favorable position regarding death taxes than exists in any other state in the Union, with the possible exception of the other community property states. This extension of the exemption will add 15 per cent to property in the state coming under this definiton, which means that approximately 80 per cent of all property probated in California will enjoy the lightest death taxes in America.

"To illustrate, the following example of a man survived by a wife and two minor children is computed, the estate consisting of 'community property' all left by will to the wife and children. One-half of such property would go under the law to the wife without any death taxes, and the other half only would be subject to both state inheritance and Federal estate taxes.

"As a subject of comparison, take a state which has no inheritance tax, such as Florida. If the comparison were made with the states which impose inheritance taxes but do not have the 'community property' system, the advantage in favor of California would even be more striking.

	Total Tax
Estate of $100,000	
California	None
Non-inheritance-tax state	$500
Advantage in favor of California	500
Estate of $200,000	
California	905
No-inheritance-tax state	3,000
Advantage in favor of California	2,095
Estate of $400,000	
California	5,779
Non-inheritance-tax state	13,000
Advantage in favor of California	7,220
Estate of $10,000,000	
California	1,249,155
Non-inheritance-tax state	2,543,500
Advantage in favor of California	1,294,345

"If the two children were adults, the California tax would be increased only $280 in each case.

Another New Amendment

"Another feature of the recent amendment to the California inheritance tax law is a section fixing the inheritance taxes on stock in California corporations owned by non-residents at a flat sum of 2 per cent on their actual value. When considered in conjunction with the ruling that no inheritance taxes can be levied upon any stock in foreign corporations, or upon bank accounts, bonds, notes, debentures, or similar securities belonging to a non-resident but located in the state at the time of such non-resident's decease, it will be observed that at present the inheritance tax situation in California is most favorable, both to non-residents who have property in this state and to married people who live here or who may subsequently move here from elsewhere."

Acres of Human Bones in Oklahoma Canyon

The story of Devil's canyon, about twenty miles from Altus, Okla., is a mystery never yet fathomed completely. Some records indicate that the Spanish explorer Coronado's men, or some who deserted him, settled there. There are records in San Fernando cathedral, San Antonio, indicating that a later group of Spaniards went into the Wichita mountains and mined gold until the Indians killed them. Whatever may have been the exact date, it is known that the settlers were Spaniards, and that almost 300 years ago they established a village in the beautiful canyon, prospered there a few years, and then died.

There is little ground that can be tilled in the vicinity and where the Spaniards lie in shallow graves there are 20 acres, not 10 square feet of which can be trod without stepping on human bones.—Detroit News.

Affliction Caused by Wireless Headphones

A doctor states that many people using wireless headphones develop "radio ear," a type of eczema. Young people are particularly susceptible. The malady, if not recognized and treated in its early stages, is apt to develop into an obstinate and painful condition, which, in later stages, is difficult to cure.

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Estate of Mary Winkelbach, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, Mattias Winkelbach, administrator of the estate of Mary Winkelbach, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said decedent, to file them with the necessary vouchers, in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court in and for Santa Clara County, California, within four months after the first publication of this Notice, or within said period to exhibit the same, with the necessary vouchers, to the said administrator at room 702 First National Bank Building, San Jose, Santa Clara County, California, that being the place designated by said administrator for the transaction of the business of said estate.

San Jose, Cal., this 4th day of September, 1955, A. D.

MATTIAS WINLRLBACK,
Administrator.

Frank H. Benson, Attorney for administrator.

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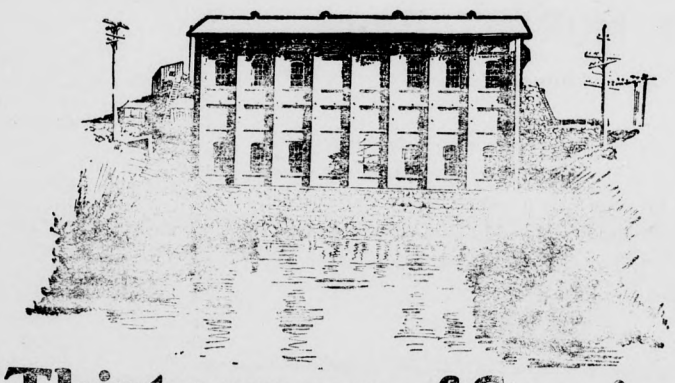

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